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Total	6,755	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2,107	4,648
<b>Contact with objects and equipment</b>	<b>647</b>									230	417
Contact with objects and equipment, unspecified	27	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--
Struck against object	191	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	69	122
Stepped on object	12	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--
Struck against stationary object	166	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	51	116
Struck by object	310	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	122	189
Struck by object, unspecified	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Struck by falling object	31	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object	149	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	49	101
Struck by or slammed in swinging door or gate	53	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--
Struck by slipping handheld object	47	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	28	--
Struck by swinging or slipping object, n.e.c.	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14	--
Struck by rolling, sliding objects on floor or ground level	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	11	--
Struck by object, n.e.c.	91	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	38	53
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12	--
Caught in running equipment or machinery	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8	--
Rubbed or abraded by friction or pressure	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	21	--
Rubbed or abraded by foreign matter in eye	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	21	--
Contact with objects and equipment, n.e.c.	17	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<b>Falls</b>	<b>693</b>									357	336
Fall to lower level	54	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	--
Fall down stairs or steps	29	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	24	--
Fall from ladder	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--
Fall to lower level, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--
Fall on same level	614	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	306	308
Fall to floor, walkway, or other surface	580	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	283	297
Fall onto or against objects	34	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	23	--
Fall, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--
<b>Bodily reaction and exertion</b>	<b>4,404</b>									1,322	3,082
Bodily reaction and exertion, unspecified	138	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40	98
Bodily reaction	1,256	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	355	901
Bodily reaction, unspecified	285	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	23	262
Bending, climbing, crawling, reaching, twisting	419	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	158	261
Running--without other incident	13	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--
Sitting	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--
Slip, trip, loss of balance--without fall	216	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	101	115
Walking--without other incident	66	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8	58
Bodily reaction, n.e.c.	225	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	47	178
Overexertion	1,281	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	626	655
Overexertion, unspecified	312	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	191	122
Overexertion in lifting	417	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	215	202
Overexertion in pulling or pushing objects	251	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	123	128
Overexertion in holding, carrying, turning, or welding objects	123	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	35	88
Overexertion in throwing objects	17	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

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Overexertion, n.e.c.	161	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	60	101
Repetitive motion	800	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	240	560	
Repetitive motion, unspecified	87	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	72	--	
Typing or keyentry	457	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	121	336	
Repetitive use of tools	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	19	--	
Repetitive placing, grasping, or moving objects, except tools	15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--	
Repetitive motion, n.e.c.	216	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	22	194	
Bodily conditions, n.e.c.	762	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	16	747	
Bodily reaction and exertion, n.e.c.	167	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	46	121	
<b>Exposure to harmful substances or environments</b>	<b>325</b>	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<b>74</b>	<b>251</b>	
Contact with temperature extremes	53	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	23	--	
Exposure to environmental heat	32	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Contact with hot objects or substances	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	21	--	
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances	201	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	44	158	
Exposure to caustic, noxious, or allergenic substances, unspecified	20	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12	--	
Inhalation of substance	54	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	11	--	
Inhalation of substance, unspecified	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	
Inhalation in open or nonconfined space	34	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	--	
Contact with skin or other exposed tissue	89	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12	78	
Injections, stings, venomous bites	16	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	
Bee, wasp, hornet sting	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	--	
Exposure to radiation	13	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
<b>Transportation accidents</b>	<b>395</b>	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<b>56</b>	<b>338</b>	
Highway accident	177	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	37	140	
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment	168	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	32	136	
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment, unspecified	37	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	16	--	
Moving in same direction	95	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	94	
Moving and standing vehicle, mobile equipment--in roadway	19	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	
Nonhighway accident, except rail, air, water	50	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8	--	
Vehicle, mobile equipment struck stationary object	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	--	
Noncollision accident	42	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Noncollision accident, n.e.c.	18	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Pedestrian, nonpassenger struck by vehicle, mobile equipment	141	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	131	
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in roadway	97	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	94	
Pedestrian struck by vehicle, mobile equipment in parking lot or non-roadway area	37	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7	--	
<b>Assaults and violent acts</b>	<b>146</b>	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<b>52</b>	<b>94</b>	
Assaults and violent acts by person(s)	93	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	46	--	
Assaults and violent acts by person(s), unspecified	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	
Hitting, kicking, beating	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	21	--	
Assaults and violent acts by person(s), n.e.c.	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	15	--	
Assaults by animals	48	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	--	

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Nonvenomous bites	48	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	--
<b>Nonclassifiable</b>	<b>146</b>	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	16	130

<sup>1</sup> Days-away-from-work cases include those which result in days away from work with or without restricted work activity.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

<sup>3</sup> Data conforming to OSHA definitions for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining and for employers in railroad transportation are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor; and by the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal industries.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that are not available. Because of rounding, data may not sum to the totals. Major classifications may include detailed classifications not shown separately.  
n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses, in cooperation with participating State agencies.